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For: DENDRITIC POLYMERS WITH ENHANCED AMPLIFICATION AND  
INTERIOR FUNCTIONALITY

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**AMENDMENT/RESPONSE**

**35 USC 371 (DO/EO/US)**

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any required fee, if needed, and any other claims fees required to comply with this Amendment, and any over change or under payments to our Deposit Account No. 50-3384. Applicants believe that no fees are required as no change in the number of claims has occurred by this Amendment.

The present application is a national phase US application from the US/RO filed PCT identified above.

**Amendments to the Specification:** none are required at this time.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Drawings:** none are required at this time.

**Remarks/Arguments** beginning on page 12 of this paper.

**Enclosure** of a sheet of the chemical structure of Example 13 is attached.